

DOCKET NO.: 4626

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

OF: Kenzou KASSAI et al. | Art Unit: 3618
USSN: 10/765,453 | Confirmation No.: 8571
FILED: January 26, 2004 |
FOR: Seat of Child-Care Instrument

MS MISSING PARTS
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

May 6, 2004

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

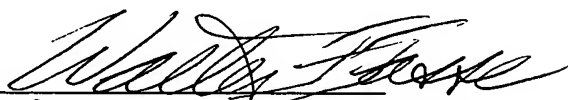
- 1) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98 applicants enclose a Form PTO-1449, copies of references AH to AJ listed thereon, and a copy of a European Search Report issued on April 2, 2004 in a counterpart European Application.
- 2) This statement is being filed together with the reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts in the above identified application, thus before issuance of the first Office Action on the merits, so no fee is due.
- 3) References AH and AJ are each accompanied by an English Abstract.
- 4) Moreover, the enclosed Search Report indicates the degree of relevance of each of the references AH to AJ by category (A = technological background). Thereby, the requirement for a concise explanation of the relevance of the foreign language references has been satisfied (see M.P.E.P. §609).

- 5) Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider all references of record, return an initialled copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to the applicants and ensure that all references of record are printed on any patent issuing from this application.
- 6) Favorable consideration and allowance of claims 1 to 4 are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Kenzou KASSAI et al.
Applicant

WFF:ar/4626
Enclosure: postcard,
Form PTO-1449,
3 references,
2 English Abstracts,
copy of European Search
Report

By 
Walter F. Fasse
Patent Attorney
Reg. No.: 36132
Tel. No.: 207-862-4671
Fax. No.: 207-862-4681
P.O. Box 726
Hampden, ME 04444-0726

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING:

I hereby certify that this correspondence with all indicated enclosures is being deposited with the U. S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first-class mail, in an envelope addressed to: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

Anita Morse - May 6, 2004
Name: Anita Morse - Date: May 6, 2004

Sheet 1 of 1

SECOND

**LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY
APPLICANT**

(REVISED FORM PTO-1449)

DATED: May 6, 2004

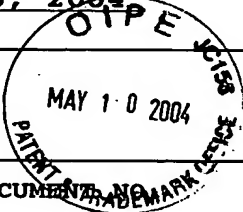
Atty. Docket No.
4626

Serial No.:
10/765,453

Applicant: Kenzou KASSAI et al.

U.S. Filing Date:
January 26, 2004

Art Unit:
3618



U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME	Cl.	Sub- Cl.	Fil. Date

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NO.							DATE	COUNTRY	Cl.	Sub- Cl.	Trans.	
													Yes	No
	AH	3	5	3	6	2	0	6	04/1987	Fed. Rep. of Germany			Abst	
	AI	29	7	0	0	9	1	9	03/1997	Fed. Rep. of Germany (Utility Model)	-	-		x
	AJ	2000	3	2	6	7	7	8	11/2000	Japan	-	-	Abst	

OTHER DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.